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Applicant : Robert A. Sanderson, et al.      Art Unit : 3747  
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Applicants bring to the Examiner's attention that none of the office action summaries acknowledged the claim for domestic priority, and requests such acknowledgement.

Applicants request acknowledgement of the formal figures filed October 30, 2003, and Request for Amended Figures filed on February 18, 2004.

The applicant further requests that a copy of the official filing receipt be forwarded, as the document is missing from the applicant's file.

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Respectfully submitted,

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